

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
Vacancy Announcement Number: AIU400441

Opening Date: January 02, 2004

Closing Date: January 16, 2004

Position: Sandblaster, WG-5423-7
Salary: \$14.61 - \$17.05 Hourly
Place of Work: Tobyhanna Army Depot, Dir/Production Support Services, Various Divisions,
Tobyhanna, PA 18466
Position Status: This is a Permanent position. -- Full Time
Number of Vacancy: 02

Link to job announcement at www.cpol.army.mil for more information.

Duties: Using specialized tools and sandblasting equipment, cleans metal parts of various types of vehicles and engineering equipment in the shop for repair or overhaul. Sets controls and regulates amount of abrasive material flowing through sandblasting gun. Directs flow against material to remove rust, paint, tar, and dirt to prepare equipment for painting and processing through the shop. Makes adjustments and preventive maintenance repairs to sandblasting equipment. Keeps equipment and area clean and in an orderly condition. Assists in other shop operations such as cleaning and preparing parts to be sent to paint shop; steam cleaning motors, chassis, and extra parts.

Who May Apply:

- ALL US CITIZENS
- Interagency Career Transition Assistance Plan (ICTAP) eligibles.

Qualifications: Click on link below to view qualification standard.

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- THIS IS A DELEGATED EXAMINING ANNOUNCEMENT, OPEN TO ALL US CITIZENS. APPLICATIONS MAY BE FAXED TO 410-306-1284 OR MAILED TO NECPOC, 314 JOHNSON STREET, APG, MD 21005-5283, ATTN: DEU. RESUMES MUST INCLUDE THE ANNOUNCEMENT NUMBER OR THEY WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED. CUTOFF FOR THIS POSITION IS RECEIPT OF THE FIRST 30 APPLICATIONS OR CLOSING DATE, WHICHEVER OCCURS FIRST. PHYSICAL EFFORT Work assignments involve prolonged standing, stooping, and bending, with some walking. Lifts, carries, and sets up equipment and components weighing up to 75 lbs. Controls blasting hose with nozzles subject to high pressure, i.e. up to 100 psi. Travel may be required 50% of the time. Pre-appointment and annual physical required. Must wear protective equipment (i.e. respirators, safety glasses. etc. WORKING CONDITIONS Work is performed inside booth which may be extremely hot during summer months.

Is exposed to noise, dust, and flying abrasive material. Must wear protective suit (supplied with air while being used) at all times. Be on the alert for malfunctions to sandblast and safety equipment. KSAs 1. Ability to do the work of sandblaster. 2. Knowledge of sandblasting equipment. (Describe the various types of sandblasting equipment you have operated and provide the preventive maintenance performed). 3. Ability to apply sandblasting practices. (Please provide examples of your experience in setting up, coordinate, and apply proper sandblasting methods). 4. Ability to follow sandblasting instructions. (Please provide examples of oral and written instructions you have followed pertaining to sandblasting equipment operations). 5. Knowledge of sandblasting materials and surfaces. (Please provide examples of various sandblasting materials/surfaces and proper blasting procedures used). 6. Sandblasting dexterity and safety. (Please describe your past experience safely operating equipment in unique situations).

- Experience and training that furnish the knowledges, skills, and abilities needed to perform the duties of this position consistent with accepted practices of the trade. Ability to use and maintain appropriate tools and equipment. Ability to read, understand, and apply instruction and other materials related to the job.
- Ability to do the work of the position under normal supervision.
- The experience described in your resume will be evaluated as related to the qualifications, knowledge, skills and abilities required for this job.

Other Information:

- May require overtime work, shift work and/or work on rotating shifts to provide coverage on evenings, weekends, holidays and in other situations.
- Permanent Change of Station (PCS) expenses are not authorized.
- Temporary Duty (TDY) travel is 50 percent.

Other Requirements:

- Personnel security investigation required.
- A medical examination is required.
- You will be required to provide proof of U.S. Citizenship.
- Direct Deposit of Pay is Required.
- Applicants must provide a narrative that addresses each of the knowledge, skills and abilities(KSAs) on plain bond paper and submit it along with the other application materials. Information may include experience, education, training and awards as it relates to each KSA. Since you will be rated based on your possession of the KSAs listed in this announcement and a ranking determination made which affects your chance for employment, it would benefit you to provide your responses to the KSAs.
- Failure to provide all of the required information as stated in the vacancy announcement may result in an ineligible rating or may affect the overall rating.

How to Apply:

- Resumes must be received by the closing date of this announcement.

You may send your resume via surface mail to: Northeast CPOC, DEU STAFF, 314 Johnson Street,
Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD 21005

Point of Contact: DEU STAFF, NECPOC, 410-306-0031,

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